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SUBJ: BANGLADESH MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

1. TEXT OF NOTE RECEIVED FROM PRESIDENT OF SC LATE MAY 16  
FOLLOWS:

QUOTE THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL PRESENTS  
HIS COMPLIMENTS TO THE MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL  
AND HAS THE HONOUR TO CIRCULATE HEREWITH, FOR THEIR INFORMATION,  
THE TEXT OF A LETTER DATED 14 MAY 1974 FROM THE FOREIGN  
MINISTER OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH ADDRESSED  
TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL. THIS LETTER CONTAINS A REQUEST  
"THAT RENEWED CONSIDERATION BE GIVEN BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL  
TO THE APPLICATION OF BANGLADESH." IT IS THE PRESIDENT'S  
INTENTION TO HOLD CONSULTATIONS ON THIS MATTER IN DUE  
COURSE. UNQUOTE

2. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF ENCLOSURE TO SC PRESIDENT'S NOTE:

QUOTE I HAVE THE HONOUR TO REFER THE THE APPLICATION OF  
BANGLADESH FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE UNITED NATIONS MADE ON  
AUGUST 8, 1972.

I AM DIRECTED BY MY GOVERNMENT TO REAFFIRM THE DESIRE  
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OF BANGLADESH TO BE ADMITTED TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SO

THAT MY COUNTRY MAY BE ABLE TO PLAY A LARGER ROLE IN  
THE FURTHERANCE OF THE OBJECTIVES OF THE ORGANIZATION. I  
AM ALSO DIRECTED TO REQUEST HEREBY THAT RENEWED CONSIDERATION  
BE GIVEN BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO THE APPLICATION OF  
BANGLADESH SO THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY BE ABLE TO TAKE  
A DECISION AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY. UNQUOTE

3. US IS SCHEDULED MEET WITH SC PRESIDENT AT 10:15 AM,  
MAY 17.

4. WE HAVE MADE LOW-KEY SUGGESTION TO OFFICE OF SYG WALDHEIM  
(HENNIG) THAT SOME OBSERVERS MAY LOOK ASKANCE AT SC ACTION  
ON NON-URGENT ITEM WHILE SC STILL NOT SEIZED OF ME TRAGEDIES.  
WE PLAN NO FURTHER ACTION, ALONG THIS LINE, AS WE WOULD NOT  
LIKE TO AROUSE SUSPICIONS RE OUR ATTITUDE TOWARD BANGLADESH  
ADMISSION.  
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